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A new Plot against the Parliament.

ENGLANDS DELIVERANCE.

Or a true and great

DISCOVERIE

Of a horrible and bloudy

TREASON

And Conspiracie.

Against the Protestants of this Kingdome in generall, but especially against divers of the Nobility, and many of the Honourable House of Commons in Parliament, and also against some of the Citizens of London.

Which Discovery was brought to the House of Commons on Munday *Novemb.* the 15. 1641.

With a Hellish plot by the Earle of Worcester in Wales.

As also a Relation of a Search at Worcester house in the Strand.

Together with an Order made by the Lords, for the apprehending of all priests and Jesuits, within this City and Kingdome.

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TRIBUNAL

TREASON

Discovered.

OR

An ample and reall *Relation* of a late horrible *Plot and Conspiracie against the Protestants of England, and in generall the Citizens of London in particular.*

BEing intended to murther divers of the Nobility, and many others of the Honourable House of Commons in Parliament, taken by confession, and examined by the Parliament, the 15. of November 1641. being Munday.

The information of *Thomas Beale* a taylor, living in *White-crosse* street in Goodman *warners* house, delivered in Parliament on Tuesday, *November* 16. 1641.

On the Sabbath day last the said young man late at night passing through *Moorefields* neere the city of *London*, did over-heare certaine fellowes talking and whispering together about their intended Plot and Machinations, the one of them saying, that he had received forty shillings in hand to murther divers persons eminent in the house of Parliament, which he would shortly accomplish, and another of them also made report, that he had also received a larger summe to doe the like enterprise upon some great persons of the higher house, which pretended Plot of theirs, they verily expected should have taken effect on the Thursday night following; had not the providence of Almighty God miraculously prevented those bloudy designes of those cruell and mercilesse papists. For it hapned that those miscreant Traytors espying the said young man in the darke, and fearing by him to be discovered made at him with their weapons, and grievously wounded wounded him, intending to deprive him of his sweet life, which they had effected, had not the divine providence of God prevented in his good time by his escaping from them.

In which Conference of theirs he also over-heard them towhisper about some great plots or treacheries in *Wales*, now intended against *England*, & that the three next shires adjoyning to Rugland Castle, were lately come in with all their forces to the assistance of the Earle of *Worcester*.

And the said young man comming before the Parliament house, realy and truly did relate the said former passages with great modesty and honest confidence, moreover alledging that they intended the murther of many Protestants

teſtants Lords, with many other Gentlemen ſuch as Mr. *Pym* and the like, and that the Papiſts in Wales intended to ſeaze into their hands all the ſtrong holds of *Cheſhire* and *Lancaſhire* with the adjacent parts, and that in that hurly burly and cumbuſtion the plot was layd and contrived, that by the Papiſts at the ſame inſtant, the City of *London* ſhould have beene ſurprized, and all the Proteſtants throats cut.

Vpon which relation the Houſes of Parliament ſate very late on Munday night laſt, and the Lords and other of both Houſe, were conducted to their Lodgins and houſes by moſt of the trained Bands in *Middleſex* the ſame night.

On the morrow very earely, both houſes met, where upon ſerious deliberation, it was immediatly concluded that the Houſe of the ſaid Earle of *Worceſter* ſituate in the Strand in the liberties of Weſtminſter, ſhould bee by ſtrong watch guarded both by land and water, and that ſtrickt ſearch ſhould be made in the ſaid houſe for the apprehending of the perſons of Father *Andrewes* and father *Jones* in the houſe of the Lord *Herberts*, Sonne and heire to the foreſaid Lord of *Worceſter* and divers other ſuſpicious perſons, ſuppoſed to be confederate in that wicked and moſt Diabolicall deſigne, who are thought alſo to be larking in the ſaid houſe, which ſearch was accordingly performed the ſame day about eleven a clock in the forenoone.

The ſaid Father *Jones* eſcaped out of a back doore into the Savoy, and father *Andrewes* was taken in the *French* Ordinary over againſt the Lord *Herberts* houſe and is now in cuſtody.

There are divers warrants gone out to the Lord Major of the City of *London*, for the apprehending of divers other ſuſpitious perſons

Die Lunæ 15. November. 1641.

An Order of the Lords for the apprehending all Priests and Jesuits, within this City and Kingdome,

IT is this day ordered by the Lords in Parliament; That Father Jones, and Father Andrews, and all other Romish Priests and Iesuites shall be forthwith taken and apprehended, by his Majesties Iustices of peace and others his Majesties Officers, and put into safe custody, untill the pleasure of this house be further knowne, and then their names shall be returned unto the Lords in Parliament, and that any man that shall discover any popish Priests or Iesuites, and procure them to bee apprehended; shall be rewarded by the Parliament.

Io. Browne Clerk. Parliament.